MAY 28 7003 BY DOCKET No. 3479-4000US1



PATENT

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

Applicant(s):

Yukio Kawamura et al.

Serial No.

09/911,969

Group Unit:

1642

Filed

July 24, 2001

Examiner:

L. Helms

6) EV245482515US

For

ANTITUMOR PROTEIN AND GENE ENCODING SAME

Commissioner For Patents Washington, D.C. 20231

RECEIVED

JUN 0 4 2003

AMENDMENT AND RESPONSE UNDER 37 C.F.R §1.111

TECH CENTER 1600/2900

Sir:

This is in response to the Notice of Non-Compliant Amendment (Voluntary Revised Practice). As required by the Notice, Applicants submit herewith a substitute Amendment which corrects the listing of claims presented in the Amendment filed on April 29, 2003. This response is timely filed. Reconsideration is respectfully requested in view of the following:

Amendments to the Specification begin on page 2 of this paper.

Amendments to the Claims are shown in the listing of claims which begins on page 3 of this paper.

Remarks/Arguments begin on page 6 of this paper.